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ORDER RETURNING UNDOCKETED APPEAL TO EXAMINER

This application was electronically received at the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences on July 20, 2009. A review of the application has revealed that the application is not ready for docketing as an appeal. Accordingly, the application is herewith being returned to the examiner. The matter(s) requiring attention prior to docketing are identified below.

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 35USC 1.136(b)

A review of the file indicates that the appellants filed a "Petition for Extension of Time under 35USC 1.136(b)" on July 2, 2009. However, there is no indication on the record that the Examiner considered the Petition filed on July 2, 2009.

CONCLUSION

Accordingly, it is ORDERED that the application is being electronically returned to the Examiner:

- 1) for consideration and proper response to the Petition for Extension of Time under 35USC 1.136(b) filed on July 2, 2009; and
- 2) for such further action as may be appropriate.

If there are any questions pertaining to this Order, please contact the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences at 571-272-9797.

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